Claims

[c1]   What is claimed is:

1.An electronic mail retrieval and notice system for cellular phones, comprising:

a mail service subsystem for retrieving e-mails to generate retrieval information; and

a wireless communication subsystem for receiving and transmitting radio signals;

wherein when an e-mail is sent to an e-mail box of a user, the mail service subsystem retrieves the e-mail according to an index so as to determine whether to generate retrieval information, and after the retrieval information is generated, the wireless communication subsystem wirelessly transmits the retrieval information to a cellular phone, which is assigned by the user, so that the cellular phone can display the retrieval information.

[c2]   2.The electronic mail retrieval and notice system of claim 1 wherein when the cellular phone displays the retrieval information, the user can use the cellular phone to transmit a request associated with the retrieval information to the electronic mail retrieval and notice system so as to transmit the e-mail to the cellular phone via the wireless communication subsystem.

[c3]   3.The electronic mail retrieval and notice system of claim 1 wherein the mail service subsystem comprises a user setting file for storing settings of a plurality of users and the index is recorded in the user setting file, and the mail service subsystem retrieves e-mails of the users according to the user setting file, thereby generating proper retrieval information and then transmitting the retrieval information to corresponding cellular phones via the wireless communication subsystem.

[c4]   4.The electronic mail retrieval and notice system of claim 1 wherein the index comprises sender name, sender address, mailing date/time, mail subject, or key words created by the user.

[c5]   5.The electronic mail retrieval and notice system of claim 1 wherein the user can use the cellular phone to adjust the content of the index.

[c6] 6.The electronic mail retrieval and notice system of claim 1 wherein the user can use a computer to adjust the content of the index.